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
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The Thirteen Club gave a banquet at the Palace Hotel on Tuesday evening in honor of O. C. Foster, another member of the Club who is about to leave our city.

Henry Barber and M. E. Davenport went to Washington Territory on Tuesday evening's passenger train, and will locate at some point in the Territory, probably Tacoma.

Messrs. Parker & Topping, proprietors of the N. P. Foundry, will leave Sunday evening next for the Pacific Coast. During their absence the business of the firm will be conducted by Fred S. Pader, son of the senior member of the firm.

The Parlor Temperance meeting held with Mrs. Geo. Keene on Saturday afternoon last, was a pleasant occasion. Mrs. Newcombe, of Minneapolis, read a paper on "The Ideal Temperance Woman," which was much enjoyed by all.

Geo. A. Keene, A. Atherton, and Tom. Hartley left Brainerd for Washington Territory on Wednesday evening. Mr. Keene and Mr. Atherton go prospecting with a view of locating there, while Mr. Hartley will understand, will locate there immediately.

The city council met in regular session Monday night and transacted the usual business of the first meeting in the month. The electric light and city pay rolls were allowed besides numerous other small bills. The clerk was instructed to issue a city order for \$1,170 for six months interest on the \$40,000 electric light bonds that the city has agreed to pay, after which the council adjourned.

A meeting of the board of trade was held last night at which a resolution was adopted declaring it to be the sense of the meeting that it is desirable to bond the city, as proposed by the council, to pay for the electric light improvements. This action was taken with a view of showing Crow Wing's representative the opinion of the business men of the city in regard to the matter.

Local News Notes.

W. W. Hartley and P. Mertz leave Monday evening for Tacoma.

Henry Cohen is in the East buying a stock of goods for the spring trade.

Mrs. I. U. White presented her husband with a son and heir last Friday.

Miss Mamie McCarthy is again employed as delivery clerk in the postoffice.

The Social club will give a dance in the basement under the Cale block to-morrow evening.

Mary Ann, a 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Kohlhase, died yesterday of diphtheria.

S. F. Alderman was in St. Paul yesterday attending a meeting of all the clerks of court of the state.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. with Mrs. Bivins, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Peter Schroeder and family, of Perlham, were in the city the first of the week visiting with the family of Nick Schroeder.

Mrs. E. M. Gray, nee Cozy McDonald, is in the city visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gray now reside in Minneapolis.

The next regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Feb. 12th, with Mrs. C. J. Veon, Cor. 7th and Pine streets.

J. F. Bartlett, who has been in St. Paul doing business with the land department of the St. Paul & Duluth road, returned to his home in this city last evening.

We understand that Matt McCabe will, in a short time, open a first-class boarding house in the new Mertz building, two doors south of the Commercial hotel.

C. A. Pierce and wife were in Minneapolis yesterday attending the funeral of a niece. Mrs. Pierce went from there to Wisconsin to visit friends and relatives.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of the city at the court house to-night for the purpose of considering the revised charter, which it is proposed to have the legislature adopt in place of the old.

We are pleased to learn that little Georgia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Vandervelde, who has been dangerously ill at Clayton, N. J., with pneumonia, is somewhat better. Mr. Vandervelde has not returned yet.

I. U. White has been seriously ill this week with neuralgia of the heart. Mr. White has been subject to attacks of this kind for the last three or four years. He is much better now, and will probably be able to be out in a day or two.

By proclamation of the governor, a copy of which is published elsewhere in this issue, all that part of Cass County south of township 138 and east of the north and south center line of range 29, is hereafter detached from Cass and annexed to Crow Wing county.

N. W. Wheatley and A. G. Michie were in St. Paul, on Tuesday, to represent the Brainerd Building and Loan Association at a meeting of all the associations of the state called for the purpose of considering the bill recently introduced into the senate regulating associations of this character.

The Northern Pacific has been making a great many improvements in its passenger service. On Monday this company began running an elegant new dining chair car between this city and Duluth, which certainly ought to satisfy the most fastidious Duluthian. A new combination baggage, mail and express car was also put on this route. By the St. Paul Pioneer Press we also see that beginning Monday night the night trains haul vestibuled dining and sleeping cars to Grand Forks and Winnipeg. The N. P. certainly

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A Magnificent Gift.

Supt. Frank Greene, of the Northern Pacific, who but a few months ago came here from the Missouri division of the road, was on Tuesday the victim of a conspiracy, which certainly has not caused him much pain or occasioned any regrets. On going to his supper at half past five o'clock on the evening mentioned, he was dumb-founded on entering his home to find the interior so changed in appearance as to be unrecognizable. In the place of the articles of furniture that usually greeted his gaze on entering, he saw an elegant parlor suite, new carpets, beautiful Turkish and Smyrna rugs, and other adornments such as gave the room an entirely Oriental appearance. Calling on Mrs. Greene for an explanation, he was confronted by a group of gentlemen, representing every department of the Missouri Division of the road and the business men of Mandan. There were present, E. R. Knowlton, formerly assistant superintendent under Mr. Greene, and who succeeded him as superintendent at Mandan, Paul Murn, representing the road masters of the division, O. P. Hall and A. L. Nichols, representing the conductors, Charles Cannon, representing the engineers, and Mr. A. C. Lawrence, Esq., a prominent business man of Mandan. In bandit like tones Mr. Greene's watch, (a former present of the employees of that division) was demanded and given up, when a massive and elegant gold chain and charm were produced and attached to the watch, and the whole returned to Mr. Greene by O. P. Hall, the spokesman of the party, who made a graceful speech, expressing the high esteem in which the recipient is held by his former employees of the Missouri division, and in their name presented the elegant furniture, etc., together with the chain and charm, as a token of that esteem. Mr. Greene made a fitting reply after which the party dined and spent the evening until the 9:40 train arrived, when the visitors proceeded homeward.

It must be particularly gratifying to Mr. Greene that his former employees should hold him in such high esteem as to send a delegation nearly 400 miles bearing such gifts to him and his estimable wife. Mr. Greene has resided in this city but a short time but has already become very popular with his employees here and our citizens in general.

Will Issue Bonds.

According to the call of the clerk, a special school meeting of Brainerd school district was held at the high school building on Tuesday evening for the purpose of voting on the question of obtaining a loan of \$35,000 from the state for school purposes. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Mahlum, clerk of the district, who read the call and the John Willis was elected chairman of the meeting. Mr. Willis, who is president of the board of education, then explained at some length the necessity of securing money to erect new school houses in the Second and Third wards and repairing building in the First ward. Mr. Willis explained that the board thought it advisable to build at least six-room buildings in each of these wards, if they built at all, as it would be a waste of money if anything smaller was built, as buildings of this size would not be too large, at the present rate of increase in membership, in a couple of years. He also explained all the intentions of the board in regard to the matter, and after a short discussion the bond issue was carried by a vote of 53 to 10. Mr. Willis followed Mr. Willis with a few remarks, emphasizing the necessity of favorable action if good schools were desired. Wm. Percy, Robert Sturgeon, W. S. Martin, Ed. Mahan and J. C. Congdon also made remarks favoring the project. William Paine was the only person who had a great deal to say against the scheme, and he thought that the people of this community were burdened too much already, that they could not afford to build school houses, and that they should consequently be opposed to the project. After some further discussion a ballot was taken and the following votes were recorded: In favor, 53; opposed, 10. The chairman declared the question carried and the meeting adjourned.

Ft. Ripley News.

Business dull at present.

A great deal of sickness in this vicinity this winter.

J. L. Berg made a flying trip to Minneapolis last week.

Chas. Tedford is handling most of the ties here this winter.

Mr. D. S. Mooers and wife returned from Minneapolis Sunday morning.

Miss Nellie Tanner, of Little Falls, is now stopping with friends in this place.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of meeting of board of county commissioners of Cass county held February 1st, 1889.

Bonds of Commissioners T. J. Nary, L. W. Burrell and Wm. H. Hallett, in the sum of \$2,000 each, and properly approved by the judge of the district court, were filed with the auditor.

The board then proceeded to elect a chairman, and Com. T. J. Nary, receiving the largest number of votes was declared duly elected.

On motion properly carried, petition of citizens of T. 134, R. 34, for laying out a road, was laid on table.

On motion properly carried, the first Monday in April was set to hear prayer of citizens of T. 134, R. 32, in regard to laying out and opening a road, and Commissioners Hallett and Burrell were appointed as a committee to investigate.

On motion two petitions of citizens of T. 135, R. 32, to lay out and open roads, was laid on table.

Petitions of citizens of T. 135, R. 31, and T. 135, R. 32, to organize road districts, was on motion laid on table.

Petition of citizens of Town of Gull River, to build a bridge across Gull River, was on motion laid on table.

Bill of W. H. Hallett, per diem attending two meetings, was allowed.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in April.

There is to be a dance at the hall and an oyster supper at the hotel on the evening of February 15th, given by Mrs. Jerry Root.

It is claimed that C. H. Cooper has more cheek than any man at Fort Ripley. (He is troubled with the mumps at present.)

We are pleased to state that the family of C. H. Clutes, who have been sick most all winter of typhoid fever, are now getting better.

Rev. S. G. Norris has been holding a protracted meeting at Rice's during the past two weeks. He returned Monday on account of sickness at home.

There is to be a dance at the hall and an oyster supper at the hotel on the evening of February 15th, given by Mrs. Jerry Root.

As the mail was thrown from the east-bound passenger train the 1st, it was drawn back under the train and carried to Belle Prairie, pouch and mail torn all to pieces. Such reckless work is liable to create a disturbance. It is quite sure to be caused by the accident, (worth to me

MERRY MASKERS.

The Second Annual Masquerade Ball of the Germania Maennerchor, which occurred at the Army on Monday evening, was a grand success financially as well as socially. Indeed, if it were possible, it was more of a success socially, and a more enjoyable time was experienced than at the one held last year. Never did the floor of the old rink present a more bright and pleasing appearance than last Monday night as the merry maskers gracefully tripped the light fantastic toe beneath the glare of the electric light. Almost every character imaginable was represented on the floor. There were dukes and duchesses, Romeos and Juliets, Gypsy girls, tamborine girls, pop corn girls, young ladies dressed to represent day and night, market women, quaint old Quaker women with drab dresses and shakers, as well as mischievous toadies, and other characters unnumbered. Among the male maskers a band of White Caps was something new and original, who at one time in the evening proceeded to inflict their unlawful punishment on some supposed offender by attempting to hang him to a cross beam above. It is impossible to make particular mention of the different characters, and we shall not attempt to do so, but there were one or two that were unusually meritorious that we cannot refrain from speaking about them. We refer to the impersonation of a squaw by Mrs. H. Rosenblatt, and Charlie Thompson's make-up and representation of a baboon. Mrs. Rosenblatt, in the impersonation of an Indian squaw, was simply perfect. Her make-up was splendid, one might almost say perfect, from her straight black hair to her moccasined feet. Her impersonation of the character was even more natural than her make-up and elicited universal praise from the vast array of spectators in the galleries, who, of course, did not know who she was, and even no one on the floor guessed her identity. Besides her acting and make-up being perfect, she spoke Chippewa in a tone of voice so changed that it was unrecognizable, but which added greatly to the impersonation of the character. Charlie Thompson's representation of a baboon, both as to make-up and acting elicited considerable praise, and also astonishment when it was discovered who he was. None but maskers occupied the floor until eleven o'clock, when the masks were taken off and the mysteries as to the identity of different characters were solved. After a short recess dancing was resumed and continued until the wee sma' hours of the morning. The music for the occasion was furnished by Dresskell's orchestra.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners held Tuesday, February 5th, 1889.

Proceedings of meeting of board of county commissioners held February 5th, 1889.

All members of the board were present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

The following bills were allowed:

H. Spalding, per diem and mileage attending and committing prisoners, \$39 85

H. Spalding, per diem and mileage attending and committing prisoners, 26 35

H. Spalding, boarding prisoners, 121 71

J. E. Thomas, services as clerk of election, Fairbanks, 3 00

Chas. Westerber, board and care Mrs. Maggie King, 19 00

Evergreen Cemetery, grave for John Erickson, 3 00

Losey & Dean, coffin and burial of John Erickson, 15 00

Campbell & Smith, blankets furnished county jail, 16 50

G. A. McDonald, salary as custodian of bridge, 15 00

Thos. Russell, per diem and mileage inquest of James Meagher, 1 12

Cohen Bros., one waste basket, 1 25

D. M. Clark & Co., stencils, etc., for poor farm, 5 75

D. M. Clark & Co., repairing court house stoves, 75

Pioneer Press Co., copy of revised statutes of Minnesota, 12 00

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend abatement of \$195 on valuation of Lots 15, 16 and 17, in Block 96.

On motion requisition of J. A. Bixby, overseer of poor farm, for groceries and supplies was granted.

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend abatement of \$100 on Pat Hefferan's personal property.

Board adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

Auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement of \$500 on Lot 5, Block 3, Farrar & Forsyth's Addition, and \$175 on Lot 12, Block 23, Farrar & Forsyth's Addition.

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement on valuation of Sleeper Opera House from \$15,625 to \$7,812.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the conditions of a certain bond dated December 17th, 1888, executed by the Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., as principal, having been fulfilled, the said Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., and its sureties, are hereby released from liability thereunder, and the county auditor is instructed to deliver said bond to said Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., or any of its officers.

Request of W. W. Hartley for abatement of a certain mortgage was rejected.

Petition of citizens of T. 44, R. 23, to organize a school district, was rejected.

Section 10, and Sections 16, 17 and 18, was granted. Said district to be known as School District No. 23.

Petition of citizens of T. 43, R. 30, and T. 43, R. 31, to build bridges across the Nakas Siebe, were placed on file.

Request of I. U. White for abatement of a certain mortgage was denied.

The following bills were allowed:

A. P. Farrar, per diem and mileage attending six commissioners meetings, \$18 60

A. P. Farrar, taking paper to poor farm and superintending work, 5 00

A. P. Farrar, superintending grading of court house grounds, 6 00

M. Hagberg, furnished court house and jail, 3 60

M. Hagberg, oils and groceries furnished poor farm, 26 00

John Milen, jars, jugs, etc., left on poor farm, 2 80

J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage attending six commissioners meetings, 18 60

Brainerd Dispatch, printing and stationery, 50 25

Joseph Bacon, pigeon hole case Register's office, 5 00

Louis Tache, expressage and postage, 1 48

J. K. Pearce, meats furnished poor farm, 3 85

Brainerd Tribune, stationery, 4 25

Bill of P. E. Gelow, for repairing corduroy on Dag Brook road, was referred to J. M. Martin.

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery, 69 15

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J. C. Congdon, cleaning, papering and painting county jail buildings, 208 67

Agnes Bay, services at poor farm, 10 00

John Milen, salary as overseer poor farm month of January and help hire, 62 50

Peter Gallop, one day clerk election, Swan Creek, 3 00

O. W. Barker, three days judge election, Swan Creek, 9 00

W. B. Smith, one day clerk election, Swan Creek, 3 00

W. H. Hallett, three days judge election, Swan Creek and returns, 15 80

Geo. Jones, one day clerk election, Warrens, 3 00

A. P. Halm, one day clerk election, Warren, 3 00

J. H. Koop, stamped envelopes for different officers, 134 80

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the county attorney be instructed to write to C. F. Kindred, asking a fulfillment of his repeated promises to furnish free water power to manufacturers.

Auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement on a certain mortgage of Mrs. Eliza Houghton from \$666.49 to \$666.49.

Bid of Wallace Beane to furnish 25 cords of pine wood at \$2 per cord, was on motion rejected.

Auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement of \$1200 on a certain mortgage of J. E. Wilson. Board adjourned until first Tuesday in March.

LOUIS TACHE, County Auditor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Morrison. In the matter of the estate of John Erickson, deceased. Nelsens & P. Clarke, Plaintiff, vs. John Gert and Allison Alsop, Defendants. Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is on file in the office of the clerk of the district court in the county of Morrison, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint on the undersigned, at his office in the village of Little Falls, in the county of Morrison, within ten days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you, and each of you for the sum of forty-seven and 68-100 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 10th day of July, 1888, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated January 21st, A. D. 1889. C. A. LINDBERGH, Plaintiff's Attorney, Little Falls, Minn.

NOTICE OF SALE. WHEREAS, Default has been made in the payment of a certain mortgage, created and delivered by Ephraim J. Fulton and Louisa Fulton his wife, as mortgagors, to the National Building Loan & Protective Union, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, mortgage, to secure the payment of the sum of seven hundred and twenty dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum, before and after maturity, payable monthly on or before the last day of each month. Principal interest and premium payable at the office of the National Building Loan & Protective Union, at Minneapolis, Minnesota. Said mortgage bears date the first day of March, A. D. 1888, and is filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing, Minnesota, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1888, at ten o'clock and five minutes a. m., and is recorded in mortgage records "G" on pages 226, 240, 241 and 242. That no action has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the amount secured by said mortgage, and that there is claimed to be due thereon and is now actually due on said mortgage, at the date of this notice the sum of seven hundred and fifty-two and 10-100 dollars.

And whereas the premises set forth in and conveyed by said mortgage are situated in the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, described as follows: Lots number twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, and twenty-five, of Block one hundred and sixty-one (161), in the second subdivision of the plat thereof, on the line and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Crow Wing, State of Minnesota, and whereas said mortgage contains a full power of sale in the first part thereof, and in default of payment of the said principal or interest or premium in said mortgage specified or hereinafter provided for, the mortgagee has the right to sell the premises hereby mortgaged, together with all the interest and accretions thereon, to satisfy the said principal and interest and premium due on said mortgage, and said power of sale has now become operative.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale, and by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and pursuant to the statute in such case made, provision, and above described mortgage, the premises hereby mortgaged, together with all the interest and accretions thereon, are to be sold at public auction at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Brainerd, in said County of Crow Wing, in the State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock a. m., in the forenoon of the day specified to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with all the interest and accretions thereon, to be paid as aforesaid, to satisfy the said principal and interest and premium due on said mortgage, and said power of sale has now become operative.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 9th day of February, A. D. 1889, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, at the front door of the County Court House, in the City of Brainerd, in said County and State, proceed to sell the above described property, to satisfy said mortgage and costs, amounting to eighty-five dollars and eighty cents, together with all the interest and accretions thereon, to be paid as aforesaid, on the 10th day of March, A. D. 1889, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated January 21st, A. D. 1889. HENRY SPALDING, Sheriff of Crow Wing County.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

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It is ordered, that all claims and demands of all persons against said estate, be presented to this court for review a day and date bearing at the Probate Office, in Brainerd, on the first Monday in each and every month of the next ensuing year, commencing Monday, February 4th, 1889.

It is further ordered, that six months from the date hereof be allowed to creditors to present their claims against said estate, at the expiration of which time all claims not presented to said Court, or not proven to the satisfaction, shall be forever barred, unless the creditor shows further time be allowed.

Ordered Further, that said executor as aforesaid, shall cause notice of the time and place of the hearing and examining of said claims and demands, by publishing a notice thereof for four weeks successively, in the Brainerd Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published at Brainerd, in said county.

Dated at Brainerd, the 30th day of January, A. D. 1889. By the Court. W. P. SPALDING, Judge of Probate.

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capitol Cullings.

Representative Dunn is making a record which he will be able to look back upon after the session with considerable pride. Robert does not lay any claim to oratorical greatness, but when he spies something which he thinks is detrimental to his constituency he does not linger in his seat but is immediately upon his feet and what he says counts. The killing of the bill relating to Sunday closing of shops selling fresh meat, and also the bill lengthening the term of town supervisors to three years is laid at Bob's door. The earnestness with which he speaks carries conviction to the hearts of the rural representatives.

There is no disguising the fact that the 39th district is as ably represented as any district in the state. At roll call you will always find our boys in their seats, and every measure is closely scrutinized that will in any way affect the interests of the section from which they come. Judge Fleming is classed as one of the ablest representatives in the body.

A petition from Itasca county praying that that county be organized is in the hands of the committee on towns and counties, but it is not probable that the measure will become a law.

The temperance question is beginning to agitate the legislature, but the opinion seems to prevail that high license is working satisfactorily. Then, too, there are some representatives who express the opinion privately that the temperance people took the wrong course during the recent political campaign to expect the present republican legislature to tear their undergarments to any great extent for them.

The reapportionment matter will cause a bitter fight, although it is quite probable that an act will be passed which will give the northern part of the state her just representation. The members from the southern part of the state are opposed to it, and when the matter comes up it will cause a lively and spirited debate.

The matter of how long the legislature shall remain in session under the amendment which was voted upon at the last election has caused considerable discussion. The law says it shall be ninety legislative days, and as Sundays and Washington's birthday are not legislative days, if the intent of the law is carried out it will lengthen the session until the 24th of April. Some of the members think that ninety days from the start was what was contemplated.

Mrs. W. A. Fleming has been visiting during the week with her husband at the Clifton hotel.

The legislature will adjourn from Friday until Monday at 2 p. m.

N. H. L.

St. Paul, Feb. 7th.

Too Much Draft.

There is a good deal of kicking among the members of the house, as there is each year, over the ventilation of the chamber. Air is pumped in from above in such volume, and with such force, that it produces tremendous drafts all over that section of the room where the entry is. The system is such that when the air comes in on one side of the house the ventilators on the other side are closed. The members who sit anywhere near them are forced to wear skull caps, or to leave their seats altogether. The trouble was particularly aggravated yesterday on the left side of the chamber. Judge Fleming, in his usual style, moved, after it had become unbearable, that the ventilators be closed, giving point to his motion by a pathetic allusion to Bob Dunn's bald head. Bob had been forced to take refuge in the cloak room.—Pioneer Press.

Proclamation.
STATE OF MINNESOTA.
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Whereas, the Legislature of the State of Minnesota did by a statute, entitled, "An Act to detach certain territory from the unorganized County of Cass and attach the same to Crow Wing County," approved February 18th, A. D. 1887, enact as follows, to-wit:

SECTION 1. That all that part of Cass County lying south of the north line of township one hundred and thirty-eight (38), and east of the north and south center-line of Range twenty-nine (29), according to government survey, be and the same is hereby detached from the County of Cass, and annexed and attached to the County of Crow in said State;

And whereas, the Legislature did further enact that the proposition contained in Section (1) shall be submitted to the electors of Crow Wing County at the next general election held after the passage of this Act; that the votes shall be received, counted, canvassed, and the returns thereof made, in the same manner as votes for County officers, and the result thereof certified by the County Auditor to the Secretary of State; and if it appears that a majority of the votes cast at said election were in favor of its adoption, the Governor shall make proclamation to that effect;

And whereas, it appears from the certified return of said election by the Auditor of Crow Wing County to the Secretary of State that a majority of the votes cast at said election were in favor of said proposition and provisions of Section one (1) as aforesaid,

Now therefore, I, William R. Merriam, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim and declare that said territory is detached from Cass County and henceforth annexed and attached to Crow Wing County in said State.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name, and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed to this Fifth day of February, A. D. 1889.

By the Governor,
WILLIAM R. MERRIAM.
H. MATSON,
Secretary of State.

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Before buying your fall shoes.
Also a full line of gents' shoes. Custom work and repairing carefully done.

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We will close them out to make room for new goods

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Correspondence Solicited

The Thirteen Club gave a banquet at the Palace Hotel on Tuesday evening in honor of O. C. Foster, another member of the Club who is about to leave our city.

Henry Barber and M. E. Davenport went to Washington Territory on Tuesday evening's passenger train, and will locate at some point in the Territory, probably Tacoma.

Messrs. Parker & Topping, proprietors of the N. P. Foundry, will leave Sunday evening next for the Pacific Coast. During their absence the business of the firm will be conducted by Fred S. Parlier, son of the senior member of the firm.

The Parlor Temperance meeting held with Mrs. Geo. Keene on Saturday afternoon last, was a pleasant occasion. Mrs. Newcombe, of Minneapolis, read a paper on "The Ideal Temperance Woman" which was much enjoyed by all.

Geo. A. Keene, A. Atherton, and Tom. Hartley left Brainerd for Washington Territory on Wednesday evening. Mr. Keene and Mr. Atherton go prospecting with a view of locating there, while Mr. Hartley we understand, will locate there immediately.

The city council met in regular session Monday night and transacted the usual business of the first meeting in the month. The electric light and city pay rolls were allowed besides numerous other small bills. The clerk was instructed to issue a city order for \$1,170 for six months interest on the \$40,000 electric light bonds that the city has agreed to pay, after which the council adjourned.

A meeting of the board of trade was held last night at which a resolution was adopted declaring it to be the sense of the meeting that it is desirable to bond the city, as proposed by the council, to pay for the electric light improvements. This action was taken with a view of showing Crow Wing's representative the opinion of the business men of the city in regard to the matter.

Max Shapiro, and his estimable wife, on Saturday last celebrated the fifth anniversary of their married life at their home on Norwood street, about forty of their most intimate friends being present. An elegant supper was served, after which a dance was enjoyed at the Windsor Hotel, which adjoins Mr. Shapiro's residence. They were the recipients of a large number of presents of wooden ware, four pairs of wooden shoes being among the number.

Judge Fleming, Brainerd's able representative, introduced a resolution into the house on Saturday last calling for the appointment of a committee of five with power to administer oaths and subpoena witnesses, to investigate the numerous building and loan associations of the state that do business outside of the county in which the corporation is located.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. with Mrs. Bivins, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Peter Schroeder and family, of Perham, were in the city the first of the week visiting with the family of Nick Schroeder.

Mrs. E. M. Gray, nee Cozy McDonald, is in the city visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Gray now reside in Minneapolis.

The next regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Feb. 12th, with Mrs. C. J. Veon, Cor. 7th and Pine streets.

J. P. Bartlett, who has been in St. Paul doing business with the land department of the St. Paul & Duluth road, returned to his home in this city last evening.

We understand that Matt McCabe will, in a short time, open a first-class boarding house in the new Mertz building, two doors south of the Commercial hotel.

C. A. Pierce and wife were in Minneapolis yesterday attending the funeral of a niece. Mrs. Pierce went from there to Wisconsin to visit friends and relatives.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of the city at the court house to-night for the purpose of considering the revised charter, which it is proposed to have the legislature adopt in place of the old.

We are pleased to learn that little Georgia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Vandervelde, who has been dangerously ill at Clayton, N. J., with pneumonia, is somewhat better. Mr. Vandervelde has not returned yet.

I. U. White has been seriously ill this week with neuralgia of the heart. Mr. White has been subject to attacks of this kind for the last three or four years. He is much better now, and will probably be able to be out in a day or two.

By proclamation of the governor, a copy of which is published elsewhere in this issue, all that part of Cass County south of township 138 and east of the north and south center line of range 29, is hereafter detached from Cass and annexed to Crow Wing county.

N. W. Wheatley and A. G. Michie were in St. Paul, on Tuesday, to represent the Brainerd Building and Loan Association at a meeting of all the associations of the state called for the purpose of considering the bill recently introduced into the senate regulating associations of this character.

The Northern Pacific has been making a great many improvements in its passenger service. On Monday this company began running an elegant new declining chair car between this city and Duluth, which certainly ought to satisfy the most fastidious Duluthian. A new combination baggage, mail and express car was also put on this route. By the St. Paul Pioneer Press we also see that beginning Monday night the night trains haul vestibuled dining and sleeping cars to Grand Forks and Winnipeg. The N. P. certainly

A Magnificent Gift.

Supt. Frank Greene, of the Northern Pacific, who but a few months ago came here from the Missouri division of the road, was, on Tuesday the victim of a conspiracy, which certainly has not caused him much pain or occasioned any regrets. On going to his supper at half past five o'clock on the evening mentioned, he was dumb-founded on entering his home to find the interior so changed in appearance as to be unrecognizable. In the place of the articles of furniture that usually greeted his gaze on entering, he saw an elegant parlor suite, new carpets, beautiful Turkish and Smyrna rugs, and other adornments such as gave the rooms an entirely Oriental appearance. Calling on Mrs. Greene for an explanation, he was confronted by a group of gentlemen, representing every department of the Missouri Division of the road and the business men of Mandan. There were present, E. R. Knowlton, formerly assistant superintendent under Mr. Greene, and who succeeded him as superintendent at Mandan, Paul Murn, representing the road masters of the division, O. P. Hall and A. L. Nichols, representing the conductors, Charles Cannon, representing the engineers, and Mr. A. C. Lawrence, Esq., a prominent business man of Mandan. In hand like tones Mr. Greene's watch, (a former present of the employees of that division) was demanded and given up, when a massive and elegant gold chain and charm were produced and attached to the watch, and the whole returned to Mr. Greene by O. P. Hall, the spokesman of the party, who made a graceful speech, expressing the high esteem in which the recipient is held by his former employees of the Missouri division, and in their name presented the elegant furniture, etc., together with the chain and charm, as a token of that esteem. Mr. Greene made a fitting reply after which the party dined and spent the evening until the 9:40 train arrived, when the visitors proceeded homeward.

It must be particularly gratifying to Mr. Greene that his former employees should hold him in such high esteem as to send a delegation nearly 400 miles bearing such gifts to him and his estimable wife. Mr. Greene has resided in this city but a short time but has already become very popular with his employees here and our citizens in general.

Will Issue Bonds.

According to the call of the clerk, a special school meeting of Brainerd school district was held at the high school building on Tuesday evening for the purpose of voting on the question of obtaining a loan of \$35,000 from the state for school purposes. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Mahlon Clark, clerk of the district, who read the call, after which John Willis was elected chairman of the meeting. Mr. Willis, who is president of the board of education, then explained the call and the necessity of securing money to erect new school houses in the Second and Third wards and repairing building in the First ward. Mr. Willis explained that the board thought it advisable to build at least six-room buildings in each of these wards, if they built at all, as it would be a waste of money if any thing smaller was built. He stated that the present rate of taxation would not be sufficient to pay the interest on the bonds, and that the board was therefore unable to issue the bonds. He then asked the question if the citizens of the district would support the board in their plan to issue the bonds. Prof. Wilson followed Mr. Willis with a few remarks, emphasizing the necessity of favoring the action if good schools were desired. Wm. Percy, Robert Sturgeon, W. S. Martin, Ed. Mahan and J. C. Congdon also made remarks favoring the project. William Paine was the only person who had a great deal to say against the scheme, and he thought that the people of this community were burdened too much already, that taxes now were excessive, and consequently he was opposed to going into debt. Mr. H. F. Carney and Jack McGivern also expressed themselves as opposed to the project. After some further discussion a ballot was taken, which resulted in 61 votes for and 53 votes against the loan. The chairman declared the question carried and the meeting adjourned.

Grand Ball.

Brainerd Division No. 7, U. R. K. P., will give a grand uniform ball at the rink, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 19th, this date being the 25th anniversary of the founding of the order of Knights of Pythias. Elaborate preparations are being made to make the affair a grand success, and judging from former dances given by this organization, there is no doubt of it.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of meeting of board of county commissioners of Cass county held February 1st, 1889.

Bonds of Commissioners T. J. Nary, L. W. Burrell and Wm. H. Hallett, in the sum of \$2,000 each, and properly approved by the judge of the district court, were filed with the auditor.

The board then proceeded to elect a chairman, and Com. T. J. Nary, receiving the largest number of votes was declared duly elected.

On motion properly carried, petition of citizens of T. 134, R. 34, for laying out a road, was laid on table.

On motion properly carried, the first Monday in April was set for hearing prayer of citizens of T. 134, R. 32, in regard to laying out and opening a road, and Commissioners Hallett and Burrell were appointed as a committee to investigate.

On motion two petitions of citizens of T. 135, R. 32, to lay out and open roads, was laid on table.

Petitions of citizens of T. 135, R. 31, and T. 135, R. 32, to organize road districts, was on motion laid on table.

Petition of citizens of Town of Gull River, to build a bridge across Gull River, was on motion laid on table.

Bill of W. H. Hallett, per diem attending two meetings, was allowed.

Board adjourned until the first Monday in April.

Business dull at present.

A great deal of sickness in this vicinity is winter.

L. Berg made a flying trip to Minneapolis last week.

Chas. Tedford is handling most of the ties here this winter.

Mrs. D. S. Moores and wife returned from Minneapolis Sunday morning.

Miss Nellie Tanner, of Little Falls, is now stopping with friends in this place.

The infant child of Mrs. S. G. Norris has been very sick during the past week.

We hardly think it fair that M. L. G. should talk so much to the new French cook.

Mrs. Annie Sherman, of Minneapolis, has been visiting Ft. Ripley friends for the past two weeks.

C. H. Cooper and wife now mourn the loss of their little son. They have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends.

Miss Jessie Neil, a charming lassie of Greene Prairie, favored Miss Lottie Tedford, of this place, with a visit last week.

It is claimed that C. H. Cooper has more cheek than any man at Fort Snelling. He is troubled with the mumps at present.

We are pleased to state that the family of C. H. Clutes, who have been sick most all winter of typhoid fever, are now getting better.

Rev. S. G. Norris has been holding a protracted meeting at Rice's during the past two weeks. He returned Monday on account of sickness at home.

There is to be a dance at the hall and an oyster supper at the hotel on the evening of February 15th, given by Mrs. Jerry Root. A general invitation is extended to all.

MERRY MASKERS.

The Second Annual Masquerade Ball of the Germania Maennerchor, a Grand Success.

The second annual masquerade ball of the Germania Maennerchor, which occurred at the Armory on Monday evening, was a grand success financially as well as socially. Indeed, if it were possible, it was more of a success socially, and a more enjoyable time was experienced than at the one held last year. Never did the floor of the old rink present a more bright and pleasing appearance than last Monday night as the merry maskers gracefully tripped the light fantastic toe beneath the glare of the electric light. Almost every character imaginable was represented on the floor. There were dukes and duchesses, Romeos and Juliets, Gypsies, gipsies, tamborine girls, pop corn girls, young ladies dressed to represent day and night, market women, quaint old Quaker women with drab dresses and shakers, as well as mischievous toadies, and other characters innumerable. Among the male maskers a band of White Caps was something new and original, who at one time in the evening proceeded to inflict their unlawful punishment on some supposed offender by attempting to hang him to a cross beam above. It is impossible to make particular mention of the different characters, and we shall not attempt to do so, but there were one or two that were unusually meritorious that we cannot refrain from speaking about them. We refer to the impersonation of a squaw by Mrs. H. Rosenblatt, and Charlie Thompson's make-up and representation of a baboon. Mrs. Rosenblatt, in the impersonation of an Indian squaw, was simply perfect. Her make-up was splendid, one might almost say perfect, from her straight black hair to her moccasined feet. Her impersonation of the character was even more natural than her make-up and elicited universal praise from the vast array of spectators in the galleries, who, of course, did not know who she was, and even no one on the floor guessed her identity. Besides her acting and make-up being perfect, she spoke Chippewa in a tone of voice so changed that it was unrecognizable, but which added greatly to the impersonation of the character. Charlie Thompson's representation of a baboon, both as to make-up and acting elicited considerable praise, and also astonishment when it was discovered who he was. None but maskers occupied the floor until eleven o'clock, when the masks were taken off and the mysteries as to the identity of different characters were solved. After a short recess dancing was resumed and continued until the wee small hours of the morning. The music for the occasion was furnished by Dresskell's orchestra.

The entertainment was a great success financially, the society realizing quite a sum from the proceeds, above expenses. The exact amount is not yet known but it is certainly over \$100. The society was successful beyond the expectations of the most sanguine members.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners Held Tuesday, February 5th, 1889.

Proceedings of meeting of board of county commissioners held February 5th, 1889.

All members of the board were present.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved as read.

The following bills were allowed:

H. Spalding, per diem and mileage arresting and committing prisoners..... \$ 39 85

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H. Spalding, boarding prisoners..... 121 71

J. E. Thomas, fees as clerk of election, Fairbanks..... 3 00

Chas. Westerber, board and care Mrs. Maggie King..... 19 00

Evergreen Cemetery, grave for John Erickson..... 3 00

Losey & Dean, coffin and burial of John Erickson..... 15 00

Campbell & Smith, blankets furnished county jail..... 16 50

G. A. McDonald, salary as custodian of bridge..... 15 00

Thos. Russell, per diem and mileage inquest of James Meagher..... 1 12

Cohen Bros., one waste basket..... 1 25

D. M. Clark & Co., stencils, etc., for poor farm..... 5 75

D. M. Clark & Co., repairing court house stoves..... 75

Pioneer Press Co., copy of revised statutes of Minnesota..... 12 00

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend abatement of \$195 on valuation of Lots 15, 16 and 17, in Block 96.

On motion resolution of J. A. Bixby, overseer of poor farm, for groceries and supplies was granted.

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend abatement of \$100 on Pat Heffernan's personal property.

Board adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

Auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement of \$500 on Lot 5, Block 3, Farrar & Forsyth's Addition, and \$175 on Lot 12, Block 23, Farrar & Forsyth's Addition.

On motion properly carried auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement on valuation of Sleeper Opera House from \$15,625 to \$7,812.

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, That the conditions of a certain bond dated December 17th, 1888, executed by the Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., as principal, having been fulfilled, said Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., and its sureties, are hereby released from liability thereunder, and the county auditor is instructed to deliver said bond to said Mississippi Water Power & Boom Co., or any of its officers.

Request of W. W. Hartley for abatement of a certain mortgage was rejected.

Petition of citizens of T. 44, R. 23, to organize a school district, to be named of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and the adj. of the nei,

Section 10, and Sections 16, 17 and 18, was granted. Said district to be known as School District No. 23.

Petition of citizens from T. 43, R. 30, and T. 43, R. 31, to build bridges across the Nakke Sebix, were placed on file.

Request of L. U. White for abatement of a certain mortgage was denied.

The following bills were allowed:

A. P. Farrar, per diem and mileage attending six commissioners meetings..... \$ 18 60

A. P. Farrar, taking paper to poor farm and superintending work..... 5 00

A. P. Farrar, superintending grading of court house grounds..... 6 00

M. Hagberg, oils furnished court house and jail..... 3 60

M. Hagberg, oils and groceries furnished poor farm..... 26 00

John Milen, jars, jugs, etc., left on poor farm..... 2 80

J. S. Gardner, per diem and mileage attending six commissioners meetings..... 15 00

Brainerd Dispatch, printing commissioners proceedings and stationery..... 50 25

Joseph Bacon, pigeon hole case Register's office..... 5 00

Louis Tache, expressage and postage..... 1 48

J. K. Pearce, meats furnished poor farm..... 3 85

Brainerd Tribune, stationery, Bill of P. E. Gelow, for repairing curdery on Daggett Brook road, was referred to J. M. Martin.

Geo. D. Barnard & Co., books and stationery..... 69 15

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J. C. Congdon, cleaning, papering and painting county jail buildings..... 208 67

Agnes Bay, services at poor farm..... 10 00

John Milen, salary as overseer poor farm month of January and help hire..... 62 50

Peter Galipo, one day clerk election, Swan Creek..... 3 00

O. W. Barker, three days judge election, Swan Creek..... 9 00

W. B. Smith, one day clerk election, Swan Creek..... 3 00

W. H. Hallett, three days judge election, Swan Creek and returns..... 15 80

Geo. Jones, one day clerk election, Warrens..... 3 00

A. P. Halm, one day clerk election, Warren..... 3 00

J. H. Koop, stamped envelopes for different officers..... 134 80

On motion the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED, That the county attorney be instructed to write to C. F. Kindred, asking a fulfillment of his repeated promises to furnish free water power to manufacturers.

Auditor was instructed to recommend abatement on a certain mortgage of Mrs. Eliza Houghton from \$966.49 to \$696.49.

Id. of Wallace Beane to furnish 25 cords of pine wood at \$2 per cord, was on motion rejected.

Auditor was instructed to recommend an abatement of \$1200 on a certain mortgage of J. E. Wilson.

Board adjourned until first Tuesday in March.

LOUIS TACHE, County Auditor.

DRESSKELL & SHEDD,

Watchmakers and

JEWELERS,

FRONT STREET, BRAINERD.

Watch Repairing a Specialty.

PROBATE NOTICE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss. In Probate Court. Special Term January 25th, 1889.

In the matter of the estate of Chas. E. Sleeper, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased being this day granted unto Sarah L. Sleeper, John L. Sleeper and Edward Hazen, of said county.

It is ordered that all claims and demands of this court for said estate be presented to said executors on or before the 1st day of March next, and that all claims against said estate be presented to said executors on or before the 1st day of March next, and that all claims against said estate be presented to said executors on or before the 1st day of March next.

Dated at Brainerd, the 26th day of January, A. D. 1889.

W. P. STALDING, Judge of Probate.

L. W. BURRELL,

Can now be found at his

Blacksmith and Shoeing Shop

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